

# BRITISH PAPERS DEMAND IMMEDIATE REPRISALS IN KIND--- Berlin Report Says That Whole of Montenegro Has Laid Down Arms

## ASSAULT ON SALONIKI STARTS IN TWO WEEKS

**Greek Military Have Information to That Effect.**

### 150,000 Turks to Aid the Germans and Bulgars.

Military operations along the various war fronts appear pretty much at a standstill for the moment. Aerial movements have constituted the chief activities of late, except for German advances at important sectors of the line in France. Satisfaction is expressed in German newspapers over the latest Zeppelin attack on England, the military importance of the territories which the Zeppelins are declared to have visited being emphasized.

Another German Zeppelin attack, that made recently on Saloniki, resulted in the killing of two Greek soldiers, five refugees and seven workmen, according to a Saloniki despatch, while fifty civilians were injured.

Indications of possible notable developments in the Balkans are contained in to-day's despatches. One from Athens declares that, according to information in military quarters there, the Germans and Bulgarians, together with a force of 150,000 Turks, are likely to begin an attack on Saloniki about the middle of this month. A London message quotes a Bucharest newspaper as declaring that Greeks and Roumanians have signed a dual neutrality treaty.

In Mesopotamia the British are still being prevented from attempting to advance owing to the prevalence of bad weather and floods.

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### DUTCH COAST GUARD SHELLED A ZEPPELIN

(By Times Special Cable)

London, Feb. 2.—A Zeppelin airship was sighted to-day off the coast of Ameland, an island of the Netherlands, in the North Sea, says a despatch from the Associated Press to the Berlin Telegram Company. The dirigible was flying low, and probably had lost her bearings owing to the fog. The coastguard bombarded the Zeppelin.

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the despatch adds, more than forty shots being fired, and it is believed that the airship, which finally disappeared to sea, was hit.

"Early Tuesday morning the Zeppelin air fleet returning from its raid on the English provinces was heard in the vicinity of Amsterdam. Officers of the coast guard service say that five Zeppelins travelling westward were sighted shortly before the raid took place Monday."

### CLAIMS MONTENEGRO HAS LAID DOWN ARMS

Berlin, Feb. 2.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The Overseas News Agency gives out the following for publication:

"The special correspondents of the newspapers telegraph from Cetinje that virtually the whole country of Montenegro has already laid down arms. In Cetinje there was a large number of Balkan leaders and statesmen and other representative persons."

The Montenegrin Cabinet Ministers, M. Popovich, Radovich, and Vojnovich declared that they had advised King Nicholas to leave the country, as otherwise he would probably be made responsible for the war. It was also stated that the actual Montenegrin Government is reading at Cetinje, and consisting of Mihailo Radovich and Popovich.

General Vojnovich, who was unable to conclude peace because the administration had been placed in the hands of these men with the King's consent. Prince Mirko is residing near Pod-

gorica, but Austro-Hungarian armies are stationed at the entrance to his estate. Podgorica is crowded with Serbs who refuse to leave the city, having to perish in their wanderings with the troops across the mountains and plains.

"The correspondents confirm the report that the Albanian chieftain, Oso Boletini, was killed at Scutari. Before the arrival of the Austro-Hungarian forces the city began dismantling the male fortifications. They sent Albanian police to the Albanian quarter. Boletini and his forces, but followed the police to headquarters, where one of the men shot down two policemen. In the fight between the Albanian Bolsheviks and the two forces were killed."

"The fighting spread into the streets, and some Albanians occupied the houses of the foreign community in the crowd. The Austro-Hungarian forces, on entering the town, checked further rioting."

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Rev. W. G. Martin, the eloquent pastor of First Church will also speak. The Ninety-Fifth band and bugle bands will play and Mrs. J. Shirley Jackson will sing.

Church Candle.

We carry a large stock of church candles, from the small tapers to the large candle weights, four pounds. See samples in our west window. Also a full line of drawing room candles, all colors and sizes; birthday candles, and ordinary paraffin candles. A. G. Bain & Co.

### BE OUT TO-NIGHT

Rev. Grogg One of the Best of Public Speakers.

Rev. Mr. Grogg, who will speak to-night in First Methodist Church at the first recruiting meeting of the 13rd Highland Battalion, is not a stranger to Hamiltonians, having spoken often to the Rev. Andrew Society, and in connection with other local affairs. Rev. Mr. Grogg is a Scotchman by birth, and a graduate of the University of Edinburgh. He is now under Prof. Blackie through a friend of his. Prof. Blackie has written to him, saying that he has no right hand, but this has not affected his wonderful power of organization. He told a story that one day while reciting he had said Prof. Blackie, the professor noticed that Mr. Grogg was holding his book in his left hand, and ordered him to recite with the book in his right hand, to which Mr. Grogg paid no attention. Prof.

### KEEN DEMAND FOR REPRISAL FOR ZEP. RAIDS

Feeling Grows in England That Huns Must Be Matched at Their Horrible Game.

### GERMAN EXCUSES

Berlin Papers' "Reasons" for the Recent Slaughter of the Innocents Given.

(By Times Special Cable.) London, Feb. 2.—Several morning papers urge immediate reprisals against German towns for the damage done by the Zeppelin raiders in the action of the British Air Service. Concerning the destruction of the Denzil-Hissar bridge, the correspondent explains that this was done owing to definite information of the intentions of the opposing forces, and declares that it was successful in preventing the development of these plans.

### FOILED PLANS OF THE ENEMY

(By Times Special Cable.)

London, Feb. 2.—The Daily Mail publishes a long statement from its Athens correspondent regarding recent complaints made by the King Committee on the action of the British Air Service. Concerning the destruction of the Denzil-Hissar bridge, the correspondent explains that this was done owing to definite information of the intentions of the opposing forces, and declares that it was successful in preventing the development of these plans.

### TWO SHIPS LOST IN A COLLISION

Splendid Jap. Boat and Tanker Sink Off Cape Race.

No Word of Owners, but Weather is Favoured.

(By Times Special Wire.)

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 2.—Reported here early to-day indicated that both the Japanese steamer Takao Maru and the American tank steamer Silver Shell, sank after a collision 200 miles southeast of Cape Race last night. Nothing could be learned as to whether the crews had been saved.

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# A LOYAL LOVER

She thinks of all to-day and yesterday have been to her—how bright a light they have had on her life, and she looks up at him, gray eyes, and she looks up at him.

"Yes, I should be very sorry."

He nods and his hand presses a little harder on her arm.

"Yes—A little sorry. Well, I'm—suppose, you knew that I was—"

He is silent again, but she looks at him.

"Well, supposing I had gone—"

She does not answer, but her lip quivers. Lord Edgar ponders for a moment.

"I can only think of one thing," he says softly. "The father wanted me to go into the army, and Clifford Revel, my cousin, is always telling me that I must be a soldier."

"Well, supposing I had gone—supposing that I were out there now, when they are fighting, and dying of their country?"

Lord Edgar took up the paper, and said: "Lela, here's bad news for the marquis: that wild young bear, his son, has been shot in Egypt; they found his body."

With a low cry she turns to him.

Her hands held up to shut out the sun, her eyes fixed on him imploringly.

"Ah—no!" she pants.

He takes her hands and presses them to his face, kissing her fingers, kissing his face pale.

"Lela," she says, fervently. "I—I think you will love me! If you cannot have me, then give me your heart, care a little for me! Oh! Lela—dear, dear Lela—tell me the truth! May I hope that you will marry me? Will you let me have you? Will you let me go on loving you until I have taught you to give me your heart for mine? Will you let me have you? Will you let me say yes—ah, Lela, my beautiful, pure angel—say yes!"

"Yes, I do," she says, smiling.



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### THE ZEPPELIN RAIDS.

Notwithstanding the fact that the supremacy of the air is claimed by the Allies in the war zones, there is no doubt that the air defenses of Britain are not sufficient. Last Zeppe lin raid, and last under present conditions, more raids may be expected to continue doing more or less damage. These raids may be "frightful," and "harmful," and all that sort of thing, but they will not prevent the Germans from making use of them. And although they may not be of any military advantage to Germany, still the damage they do must have some effect. The Germans have no doubts in making these raids. No doubt they want to cripple and destroy Britain's docks, railway centres and munition factories, and to the extent that they do will they have some military advantage. The question is: Is Britain helpless in the matter? If she can not adequately defend herself, she can retreat at least. The raiding of the British fleet in the seas off Britain's coasts, bombing German towns and cities. There is a demand from some quarters that this be done. But Britain will be loath to kill innocent people even in revenge. However, something should be done to show the Germans that two can play at that game.

### A NATIONALIST D.F.N.C.

Mr. Lamarche, the young Nationalist D.F.N.C. member for Nicolet, has been the Government's spokesman on an important occasion. In Parliament last evening when he, in an impassioned and fiery speech, laid bare the conspiracy that existed between the Nationalists and the Conservatives. He made a spirited defense of Bourassa and Lavergne, and showed up Sir Edward Carson as a traitor who was ready to take up arms against his King and yet was made a Cabinet Minister.

"You want to have Bourassa and Lavergne shot," he traitoredly said. "I told them, 'The two members who sit in this House, because these two men put them here on the same conviction you now denounce; and include the big financial men in the party following who supplied them with the funds for their campaign. The men who paid for them are just as responsible as the men who spoke for them.' Further that Mr. Lamarche declared that the Conservative leaders had agreed to give up Bourassa and Lavergne before the election of 1911, with the pides that they would work together by agreeing, if elected, to wipe out the Laurier imperialistic tendencies. Mr. Bourassa supplied the candidates and the speakers. The big financial men of the Conservative party supplied the campaign funds. Twenty members decided Mr. Lamarche, "We will not attain our ends in the party unless we are able to do it by promising to defeat Laurier's naval programme. This alliance of Tory and Nationalist has been the cause of Canada's unpreparedness. If the Tory party had done the right thing, Canada would have had a fleet of its own to look after the coast and to protect her trade routes. The dreadnought proposals were a mere suggestion."

There is evidence from the inside that Premier Borden was in league with the Quebec Nationalists, and that the Conservative party supplied the money for the election of those two. The Tory party, which went with them, so that they could attain their ends, by promising to defeat Laurier's naval programme. This alliance of Tory and Nationalist has been the cause of Canada's unpreparedness. If the Tory party had done the right thing, Canada would have had a fleet of its own to look after the coast and to protect her trade routes. The dreadnought proposals were a mere suggestion."

### THE NEW HIGHWAY.

The Toronto-Hamilton highway is costing much more than it was estimated that it would cost, and those who have to pay are not well pleased. Mr. Gooderham explained to a meeting in Toronto yesterday where the extra cost came in, but that was not much consolation to them. The trouble is that it would cost, and it is still in doubt as to how the bridge at the west end of the city is to be financed. The farmers claim that they do not need such an expensive road, and that those who want such a road should pay for it. "What the Provincial Government will come to the rescue, with some of its good roads money and art Mr. Gooderham of the hole."

While the expense has been great up to date, it looks as though considerable money will still have to be spent

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

This is the day when the bear becomes a weather prophet.

Not to speak of machine guns, how is the country off for rifles?

If we are to have a Canadian Ministry of Munitions he should be a live wire.

Manitoba threatens to put a provincial tax on the mail order business. Don't do it.

"Our country," said the Berlin Mayor, "does not talk of peace, does not year for peace, but fights for peace." Why did he break the peace?

Professor Coenman, of Toronto University, may be shocked to learn that the German geologists who were in the party that toured Australia just before the war in his company were German spies.

Of the 5,631 persons killed on steam railroads in the United States last year 5,084 were treacherous who had obeyed the law and stayed where they belonged would have been out of harm's way. No wonder the railway companies prosecute trespassers.

This is Cambodias Day. The Britannica Encyclopedia tells us that Cambodias is the name of the ancient church festival celebrated annually on the 2nd of February, in commemoration of the presentation of Christ in the Temple. It is the most ancient of all the festivals in honor of the Virgin Mary.

For the war, I say again—it means—I mean that, better still—

The war is right it is horrid—but what about war is horrid?

I sign to that with all my heart, but civilization does not.

Someday I'll write a powder cart.

—James Russell Lowell

Mr. Lowell here admits that there may be merit even in an offensive war.

This war has mixed up the royalties pretty badly. It may go without saying that King George and the Kaiser will never meet again as friends. Then the Duke of Brunswick, Queen Alexandra's nephew, is in arms against us; whilst his cousin, the Emperor of Russia, is on our side. Then the Duke of Coburg-Saxony is our too, his mother our friend. She's the Duchess of Albany, to the fury in some of us—in aid of Prince Charles, who is an officer of the Kaiser's army, once a friend of the late Prince Albert, the King's sister, brother.

Better service and an extension of the lines are two things which the city wants and the State Railways Company will be needed.

The War Committee has decided that it can wait no longer for these improvements, and the threat is thrown out that the Railway Board will be called in, if necessary, with a view to compel the company to make good. We would advise the Controllers and company to get together and see if they can't come to some amicable arrangement on these important matters. There is a strong feeling among the citizens that the company is not keeping pace with the development of the city, and that the service is far from being what it should be.

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"Our Country's Welfare Is Our First Concern!"

# "FOLLOW THE HEART OF BRUCE"

*Let your service to your country be VOLUNTARY—you young men of Hamilton!  
Don't Wait for possible Compulsion*

*Canada Calls:*

*"The Empire Needs You NOW."*

*The glorious battlefields of Europe are rich with honors to be won, with glory to be gained by the strong and courageous. Men's names, today unknown, tomorrow will sound around the world as the triu...phant champions of justice and chivalry and liberty-loving mankind.*

*Will YOUR name be among them?*



## Enlist NOW In The 173d Highland Battalion

*(Associated with the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders of the Old Land)*

**WHETHER IT WILL BE VICTORY OR  
DEFEAT DEPENDS UPON YOU**

Decide **NOW** to do this thing, this right thing, this Big Thing, although personal sacrifices may be hard to make. Determine now that yours shall be the honorable uniform of the Maple Leaf, so that you may walk among your fellow-men with conscience clear, head erect and scorn in your eyes for the laggards you meet.

**ENLIST NOW!—Don't Wait Behind, to Stand With The Women, With a Flag In Your Hand, to Greet and Cheer The Men When They Come Back.**

**T**HE new Hamilton unit, the 173<sup>d</sup> Highland Battalion is now being formed. It is under the direct command of Lieut.-Col. Bruce, a life-long Canadian, who has been actively connected with the militia for more than 25 years.

## MEN Are Wanted For The Ranks!

1100 of them. Men from 18 to 40 years old, in good physical condition. Men who feel that "Our Country's Welfare is Our First Concern" and are willing to fight for it. Uniforms will be supplied immediately, and pay starts at once.

**RECRUITS ARE DIRECTED TO APPLY AT THE ARMORIES,  
JAMES STREET NORTH, OR AT ANY RECRUITING DEPOT.**

When a neutral, such as Frederick Palmer, war correspondent, can say from personal observation:

"Let me tell you that it was in Belgium that I learned that there was no price too high to pay to be the owner of one's own body and soul. I've discovered that there are things a good deal

worse than death. One of these is the surrender of the principles for which the Anglo-Saxon stands. No man is there who would not rather die under a rifle in his hands than submit to the rule of militarism that I saw in Belgium."

*When an eye witness can say such things, what real Britisher can resist the appeal?*

**Attend the Big Opening Meeting tonight (8 o'clock)  
IN THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**

KING STREET EAST



# THE TIMES SPORTING PAGE

## Will Hamilton Have Canuck League Team For the Coming Season?

This Will Be Decided Upon at Friday Night's Meeting--Cost Them \$1,500 to Travel Last Season  
---Want Other Clubs To Guarantee Them Travelling Expenses This Year.

Will Hamilton have a Canadian League baseball team this coming season? The question is being asked on all sides, and it is one that will be impossible to answer until after the annual meeting, which will be held on Friday night in the Board of Trade rooms, Main street west. The present directors are anxious to continue, but as the club is in debt for the last year they must get the sum of all share-holders to sign at this coming meeting it will be up to the shareholders to decide if they are willing to come across with enough money to put the club on an even basis once more, and if not it is more than likely that the club will be put on the market for sale.

Last year was a costly one for the local club, and this season if they decide to continue they will have to be careful with the expenses, and that is in regard to travelling expenses. Last year the local club lost \$1,500 on travelling expenses alone, while the club in the Canuck League, while playing here, also made enough to clear expenses. One well-known director stated that now that it has been decided to turn the club over to the shareholders it will be up to the shareholders to decide if they are willing to come across with enough money to put the club on an even basis once more, and if not it is more than likely that the club will be put on the market for sale.

The local ball club went into the hands of the present owners it has been a year since, and ever since that time the shareholders have been forced to contribute in order to start the season on an even basis. The year ended with the club in debt, but this was easily accounted for by the large amount of "cobalt" spent in bringing players here. At that time Bob Fulton, in charge of the club, and his great weakness was in bringing his friends along from all parts of the continent. Their expenses were paid here by the majority of them that came here got board and lodgings at the expense of the Hamilton club, despite the fact that they took part

in but one game. This continued until Yates was released, and when Jack Waterloos put in his bid to close the club on a smaller basis financially, when the club started out last season he was given a chance to do so by giving him a winning aggregation, and very little was spent on transportation for players, as Cristall had the name of being very good. Tom will be a very good man. Tom will be a very good boy. As Tom has already defeated the best middleweights and still at the same time has produced those before he has to step down and allow the title to go to another.







# LAWYER AND MAGISTRATE DISAGREED

As to Whether the Complainant or Defendant Told the Whole Truth.

## VERY BAD ROAD

To City Weigh Scales Resulted in Dismissal of Charges Against Coal Men.

It was a heated argument that occurred, at police court this morning between Magistrate Jaffe and W. M. McClement, who defended Mrs. Mary Griffith, charged with assault and wilfully obstructing James Green, a halifit, when he went to make a seizure of her goods for failing to pay taxes due on her property on Division street. According to Green he was left in charge of the house until Constable Nelson, of Barton street, returned, and when he refused to let out, when Mrs. Griffith came, he drew a revolver and forced him out. Mrs. Griffith and her son denied this, stating that there was no such a thing as a firearm in the house. The Magistrate said: "I am not my own master. I am not in my paper. Wishing you all a prosperous year." — J. S. Hilditch, J. P.

## THEY ALL LIKE TIMES

Everyone speaks well of the Times. We publish two letters just received. If you want a bright up-to-date newspaper, subscribe for the Times.

Cottello, P., Jan. 31, 1916.

To the Time Printing Co.:

Find enclosed \$1.00. Please renew my subscription for six months. I want to receive all news, and your paper is where one can find it.

Yours ever,

Fred Harvey,  
Cottello, Pa.

Sullivan Lake, Jan. 24, 1916.  
Hamilton Times—Hamilton, Ont.:

Dear Sir—Please accept my thanks for your valuable paper. It is just like an old friend. I am an old South Westerner, and I like to get my paper. Wishing you all a prosperous year.

J. S. Hilditch, J. P.

Sullivan Lake, Alberta.

## TEA TABLE GOSSIP

The mid-week prayer meeting in MacNab St. Church will be held as usual this evening.

Detectors Shirley and Smith are here. Fresh Year this morning in charge of the parishioners who are wanted in Walkerston and will be taken back to-morrow.

Signalling Machine Gun Training, Anti-Personnel, St. John Ambulance First Aid, Otter's Guide, 15-p. Q. F. Gun, Field Service pocket book, Infantry Training and other military books, including "The Bookshop," 16 West King street.

—Fire did \$500 damage this morning in 10½ hours. Three o'clock in the afternoon, 10½ hours. Water street. The cause is unknown. The fire broke out in the front parlor, and destroyed the furniture and a piano.

Richard Bromley, 16 Greig street, was taken to the city hospital last evening, suffering from a badly sprained ankle. He was admitted in front of 47 MacNab street north, and was picked up unconscious, and taken to the hospital by his wife. His condition is not serious.

—Members of the Fire, Police and Jail committee will make their regular inspection of the buildings with the proviso of a tea-table this afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock. All of the equipment in the various fire stations will be carefully inspected as well.

—The four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Levitt, of Belmont street, sat down to eat his dinner last night, and fell asleep. The police, who learned this up, reported the roads to be in very bad condition.

Harry T. Jones, 285 Jackson street, was killed by Mr. E. G. O. Brown with false pretence. The Crown asked for an adjournment of one day and it was granted.

The National Steel Car Company promised to pay Edward Richards \$1000 wages, and the case was dismissed.

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## APPRECIATED

Canadian Club Has Done Much for the Soldiers.

Many warm expressions of gratitude from hospitals and the corps at the front and in England have been received by the Canadian club for the donations of tobacco and cigarettes sent overseas. The funds raised in several months for the sending of tobacco to the wounded and sick Canadian soldiers in hospitals in France and England, and was largely subscribed by the Canadian Club company of the Home Guard, through the Red Cross. Grateful acknowledgements have been received from Major C. S. Woodring, Captain J. C. McNaughton, Lieutenant Col. R. P. Campbell, 6th Canadian Field Ambulance; Staff Sergeant L. A. Ayres, No. 2 Canadian Field Ambulance.

The Canadian Club has also received a second contribution from the Canadian Army Station Hospital No. 2, Canadian stationary hospital, of a sum of £100. She stated that she had given £100 to the Canadian Club.

She wrote last: "When I tell you that in the last month from 50 to 60 per cent of the men in the Canadian Army have been treated for gas, you will understand how great we have been to receive such a treat from home," concludes Miss Ayres.

## A FREE LECTURE.

The public are asked to remember the annual open meeting of the Hamilton Scientific Association to-morrow, February 3rd, at 8 p.m., in the hall of the Canadian Washington Company, will give an address. The title of this lecture will be "The Development of the Human Brain." Dr. W. H. Lyman Lee will give a few preliminary remarks on "Bellotin." This lecture will be held in the room of the same association, which is situated in the street west, and is open to the public free of charge.

## Cherrywood Concert.

These celebrated Russian artists have specially selected for their concert at the Cherrywood Hall, 100 St. George Street, manufactured by Odele Firme, Heinemann & Son, similar to that used by the world's greatest musicians. Price, 50 cents.

The Heinemann piano is used exclusively by these great artists throughout their tour.

## SOCIETY

Mrs. Corinne Melville is visiting friends in St. Catharines and Buffalo.

Mrs. Walter Ingalls was a recent guest with Mrs. Gorham, Milton.

Miss Maud Henderson, of Niagara Falls, Ont., is a visitor in town.

Mrs. Vera Millard and Miss Mary Haslett are guests of Mrs. Fraser in Ottawa.

After spending a few days in Aylmer Miss Bertha Bridgman has returned home.

Among those at the Mendeschein concert last night were Mr. Harry Allen, Mr. Newell and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Semmens.

The regular meeting of Hamilton Amateur Dramatic Club will be postponed until next Wednesday evening, Feb. 6.

Mrs. Charles Herbert Cunningham (Westie) L. will receive for the first time since her marriage to-morrow, Thursday, afternoon at 2.30 p.m. at the home of St. Paul's Church, Hamilton.

FIRST CHURCH LADIES.

There was a large attendance yesterday afternoon at the first meeting of the First Methodist Church when the meeting took the form of a social afternoon. The president, Mrs. Anna Scott, was in the chair. It was decided that the annual bazaar would be held as usual in the fall, after the harvest work.

The business had been disposed of, a social time was spent. Miss Anna Evans sang and recited, while some very enjoyed, also photographic group selections were rendered, the machine having kindly loaned by the German Society. The amount of the annual mite box contribution \$135 was received. Afternoon tea was enjoyed.

—At 8 p.m. Mr. John McMahon, Mr. H. J. Clappison, Mrs. J. W. Bousfield, Mr. Cal Davis, Mrs. F. Woodward, Mrs. Ellison and Mrs. Sabine.

STONEY CREEK TEA.

A most delightful tea and sale of work was given by the young ladies of the Golden Rule Club of Stoney Creek, Methodist Church on Tuesday, Feb. 1st, from 4 to 8 o'clock.

The young men's parlour was decorated in a pretty, gay, rustic style, with many flowers.

The girls were busy engaged in the preparation of the tea-table, while others enjoyed, also photographic group selections were rendered, the machine having kindly loaned by the German Society.

—The tea-table was a success, and the money will be carefully invested as well.

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## THE MAN IN OVERALLS

I don't think that I can resist Dr. Nelson's appeals much longer. I either have to stay away from him or meetings or climb on to the wagons.

Certainly, something ought to be done about that smoke. We will see worse than Pittsburg was.

See Mr. Planch. He has some nice healthy boys to give away, any one of whom is calculated to make a happy home. First come first served.

I like Al. Hodges' idea of pre-pardoned. If we are to do the right, why not do it? I think they would be of some use in case of need.

Ladies, the Fourteenth will soon be here. Pick your valentine before the last begins.

I hope that the Board of Trade will take up the matter of the tea-table again. If everybody were as careful about fire, we might be able to do away with the fire insurance companies and the fire department as well.

"Mrs. W. R. Davis has been active in connection with the work of the local committee for the Indian soldiers.

Rely on Douglas Haig, but give him lots of munitions.

Has your church or lodge done any thing by way of giving the soldier a good time?

Just as soon as John Gordon decides the pictures ready for the show, I will have a good long look at them. I know they must be good.

This proposal is using "God Save the King" as the starting point for the end suits us all right. I could sing it at both ends and not feel bad the worse.

With potatoes at their present price everybody will want to join in the fun. Mr. Keay might make a few announcements to the programme.

I need a new Easter hat this time, but I don't know if I can afford it.

I have found the trouble with it is this: When it is in it wants to get out, and when it is out it wants to get in.

Home Chat's thought for to-day: Never forget that though kind words and a smile cost nothing, they are the greatest treasures to someone who is discouraged.

## BROWN'S MONEY

The regular meeting of the East Hamilton Social Association will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 in the sewing room of the Technical School, entrance on the south side of the building.

The discussion is hoped for, as matters of interest are to be discussed.

The ladies of the school committee will be in attendance.

The work of the committee is being largely done by the members of the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church, through Mrs. S. Nelson, one of the most energetic members of the organization.

Her efforts have been rewarded.

She has been handed in her in January. Mrs. Nelson has placed at the disposal of the association quite a number of years, who was destrive of doing her bit. This is an excellent example of the ladies of Knox Presbyterian Church, through Mrs. S. Nelson, one of the most energetic members of the organization.

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The following letter has been received from the sock committee from Lieut.-Col. McLaren:

Dear Mrs. Gay: Permit me to thank you most heartily for a splendid parcel of hand-knit socks, wristlets, soap, etc., which I received a few days ago.

We are indeed a most welcome addition to our "comforts," and the Hom-

ton men who were so fortunate as to share its contents were most sincere in their appreciation and fond in their expression of your kind gift.

Please accept my thanks to the other members of the East Hamilton War Relief Association, our organization, for the fact that you have insured that your thoughtfulness will tend greatly to lessen for many men the hardships of life in the trenches.

Yours truly, John J. McLaren.

LL-Colonel Comdr.

HIGHWAY EXTRAS

COUNTY NOT Interested in How Money Will Be Raised.

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BIRTHS

DEAN.—On Saturday, January 28th, 1916, at 24 Bonaventure street, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dean, of 100 King street, had a son.

NICHOLSON.—On Monday, January 30th, 1916, at 100 King street, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nicholson, of 100 King street, had a daughter.

RYAN.—On Friday, February 3rd, 1916, at 24 Bonaventure street, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ryan, 22 Fernie street, had a son.

DEATHS

BERLANGER.—On February 1st, 1916, at 100 King street, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Berlanger, of 100 King street, had a son.

LADIMAN.—On February 1st, 1916, Mr. Ladiman, of 100 King street, had a son.

McNAUL.—On February 1st, 1916, Mr. McNaul, of 100 King street, had a son.

MORRISON.—At his late residence, 112 Main street, west, on January 31st, 1916, Peter Morrison, 70 years of age, died.

PARKE.—On Friday, January 28th, 1916, at 100 King street, Mr. and Mrs. Parke, of 100 King street, had a son.

THE WEATHER

THURSDAY COLD.

FORECASTS—Lake and Georgian Bay—Fair and cold. Thursday—Northwesterly winds, cold, with a snowfall.

(By Times Special Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 2.—There are indications of a return of winter along the middle Atlantic coast. The weather has moderated a little in the west, but it has become fairly cold in Ontario and Quebec.

The following was issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries at 8 a.m.:

Temperature. Max. Min. Max. Min. Victoria ... 28 26 Snow. Windup ... 8 18 Fair. Windup ... 0 20 Clear. Parry Sound ... 22 28 Cloudy. Parry Sound ... 22 28 Cloudy. Ottawa ... 36 14 Cloudy. Montreal ... 38 16 Cloudy. Quebec ... 36 12 Cloudy. Quebec ... 36 12 Cloudy.

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